

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of	Shigemasa TAKAGI	Confirmation No.	3073
Application No.	10/569,848	Group:	3657
Filing Date:	December 19, 2006	Examiner:	LIU, Henry Y
Docket No.	2000-29		
For:	METALLIC BELT AND PUSH BLOCK USED THEREFOR		

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

On November 23, 2009, the undersigned submitted a payment of \$810.00 for the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) fee in regard to the above-referenced patent application. The large entity fee was mistakenly paid; the Assignee in this matter qualified for small entity status at the time of payment. Accordingly, a refund in the total amount of \$405.00 is requested as follows:

Request for continued examination (RCE): \$405.00

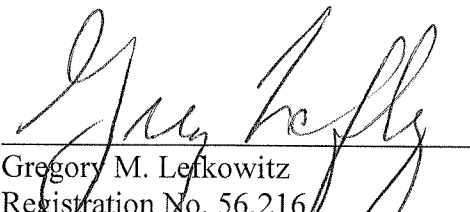
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As this request is being filed within two years of payment of the fee, this request for refund is timely. The Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to credit the refund to the Credit Card on file for this case.

Please contact the undersigned if there are any questions or if further clarification is needed.

Respectfully submitted,

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